IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Douglas A. Lorenz, et al :

APPLICATION NO.: 10/828.488 : Examiner: Janet L. Coppins

FILING DATE: April 20, 2004 : Group Art Unit: 1626

TITLE: Process for Forming Amorphous Atorvastatin :

Hon. Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2007. The period for response expired on August 27, 2007. Applicants submit herewith a five (5) month Request for Extension of Time, extending the time of reply to Monday, January 28, 2008. Thus, this response is being timely filed.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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